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Title:	:		
Method and Apparatus for Oil Spill Containment	:		

**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121**

This is further to the Response filed June 30, 2006, and in response to the Examiner's courtesy telephone call of July 5, 2006. Please enter the following claims filed March 15, 2006, which now have the proper status identifiers.